Joint NASA and NSF Anticipated Interagency Announcement of Opportunity: Synthesis and Modeling Project of the U.S. Joint Global Ocean Flux Study

Proposal Deadline not earlier than: June 6, 1997

NASA Research Announcement: Satellite Remote Sensing Measurement Accuracy, Variability, and Validation Studies

(NRA-97-MTPE-03)

Solicitation release date March 13, 1997 Letters of Intent due April 17, 1997

Proposals due May 16, 1997

NASA Research Announcement: The Effects of Tropical Forest Conversion: Ecological Research in the Large-Scale Biosphere-Atmosphere Experiment in Amazonia (LBA)

(NRA-97-MTPE-02)

Solicitation release date March 11, 1997 Letters of Intent due April 30, 1997

Proposals due June 11, 1997

NASA Research Announcement: Remote Sensing Research - Biological Oceanography

(SOL NRA-97-MTPE-01)

Solicitation release February 03, 1997, by NASA Letters of Intent due March 5, 1997

Proposals due April 04, 1997

Joint NSF, NASA and NOAA U.S. Weather Research Program Announcement

Release January 21, 1997 Preliminary proposals due February 19, 1997

Proposals due April 18, 1997

DOE/NSF/NASA/USDA/EPA Joint Program on Terrestrial Ecology and Global Change (TECO)

(Notice 97-02)

Solicitation Release December 26, 1996, by Department of Energy

Proposals due February 28, 1997

Satellite Remote Sensing Measurement Accuracy, Variability and Validation Studies

NASA Research Announcement NRA-97-MTPE-03 Jointly with MTPE Global Data Integration and Validation Program

Funding: Type 1 (R&A): \$2M/year

Type 2 (EOS): \$4M/year

Initial Project Duration: 3 years

Proposals Due: May 16

Mail Reviews Due: July 3

Panel Review: July 15-18

- Led by Appropriate NASA Program Scientists
- Organized into "Discipline" Subpanels
- Programmatic Review (<u>Instrument Teams</u>, R&A)

Selection: August 4, 1997

D. Starr, EOS Validation Scientist

<u>Validation NRA Policy Issues</u>

Open Competition - Proposals from Team Members not forbidden but.....

<u>Foreign PIs/co-Is</u> - on a "no exchange of funds with foreign institutions" basis

Valid Satellite Sensors (ASTER, CERES, LIS, MISR, MODIS, MOPITT, SAGE III)

Higher Priority

Level 1 and Level 2 Data Products

Data Products with Impact on Multiple "Downstream" Data Products

Studies with "Similar" Data Products

Augmentation of Existing Observing Networks versus New Networks

Low Priority: Duplicative Investigations

Airborne Research Proposals: Evaluated in Context of Existing EOS Plans

Other Allowed Proposal Types

Provision of Correlative Data (Data Buy)

Provision of Data Management Function for Correlative Data

<u>PI Relationship to Instrument Team</u>: Where appropriate and with Instrument Team concurrence, an official relationship will be established between successful PI and appropriate Instrument Team (e.g., "associate" team member)

Additional Investigator Obligations:

- 1) Definition and Implementation of Appropriate Community <u>Measurement</u> Protocols
- 2) Community <u>Calibration of Field Instrument</u> Activities
- 3) <u>Timely Archival</u> of Correlative Data (SCF or DAAC)

EOS Validation Data Archival Policy

Post-Selection Validation Workshop ??

Would this be useful?

Should SWAMP orgainize such an activity?MODIS Plans?